The details of allocations and releases of SKO made to Orissa during 1988, 1989 and upto May, '90 are given below:

(Figures in Tonnes)

Year	Regular Allocation	Ad hoc Allocation	Total Allocation	Releases
1988	123548	17501	141049	140864
1989	144020	6285	150305	156722
1990 (upto May /90)	59665	6295	65960	69457

It will be seen that actual supply, by and large, has been in line with the allocation.

Mentioning of foreign exchange earnings in balance sheets by companies

@@2079. SHRI ASHIS SEN:
SHRI DIPEN GHOSH:

Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) what are the reasons for which companies are required to mention their foreign exchange earnings in their balance sheets; and

(b) whether his Ministry tabulate this data to find out the companies that are causing drain on foreign exchange?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI AJIT SINGH): (a) The disclosure of information relating to foreign exchange earnings in the profit & loss account of the companies is for the information and use of the shareholder and others concerned.

(b) No such data is compiled under the Companies Act, 1956 at present.

Discontentment amongst employees of Small Industries Development Organisation

2080. SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that great discontentment is prevailing among the staff and officers of the Small Industries Development Organisation over its policy of mass transfers, promotions and selection for foreign assignments;

(b) if so, what are the names and designations of persons transferred, promoted and sent abroad in foreign assignment during the last three years;

(c) whethefr there was any deviation from the established policy of Government in these matters; and

(d) if so, what are the reasons for such deviation and steps taken to check this?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES AND AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI SRIKANTA JENA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (d) Does not arise.

Officials of the prevention of Food Adulteration Department of Delhi Administration

2081. SHRI GHUFRAN AZAM: Will the Miniser of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Anti-corruption Department, Delhi Administeration, Delhi vide their Registered cimplaint No. 13/86 have expressed the view that the integrity of certain local (Health) authorities of the Depart-

@@Previously Unstarred Question No. 1818, transferred from 23rd August, 1990.

ment of Prevention of Food Adulteration, Delhi Administration, Delhi is not beyond doubt;

(b) if so, whether Government propose not to send such local (Health) Authorities on raids; and

(c) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI RASHEED MASOOD): As per the information received from the Delhi Administration the reply is as under:

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) The report is under consideration of the Vigilence Department of the Delhi Administration.

Linking North Madras Thermal Station with Kalinga Coal Mines

2082. SHRI TINDIVANAM G. VENKATRAMAN: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Tamil Nadu Chief Minister has urged the Central Government for linking the North Madras Thermal Station with the Kalinga Coal Mines;

(b) if so, whether the Central Government have examined the proposal and accorded sanction; and

(c) if so, by when this project is proposed to be set up?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI ARIF MOHD. KHAN): (a) to (c) Long-Term coal linkage for North Madras Stage-I (3x210 MW) has already been given from Kalinga Opencast Project in Talcher coalfield, Orissa. The Government of Tamil Nadu have requested for coal linkage for North Madras Stage-II (2x210 MW). It has been indicated by the Department of Coal that all the coal available from Talchar coalfield has been committed to various identified Thermal Power Stations to be commissioned during 8th plan. No additional coal can be linked to North Madras TPS Stage-II during 8th Plan. Coal linkage for this scheme can be considered for benefit during 9th Plan only after the overall priority list of scheme of 9th Plan has been finalised by the Planning Commission. An advance action scheme for Kalinga OCP has already been sanctioned by the Government for initiating action for land acquisition etc. The Kalinga project which is under appraisal by the Government is expected to contribute production during the 8th Plan Period.

Foreign Airlines wooing Indians passengers

2083. SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that many foreign, airlines operating in India have taken spcial steps to woo Indian passengers;

(b) if so, what is the effect of these steps on the business of Air India; and

(c) what is Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI ARIF MOHD. KHAN): (a) to (c) Air India has a share of 1|3rd of the international traffic into and out of India. The country needs other foreign carriers to operate. International carriers work within the IATA discipline. Further one can charge only the price commensurate with the quality of the product it offers. Air India has not suffered any decline in revenues because of international competition.